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MONDAY SPORTS WEEKEND BASEBALL

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Moscow Debates: A Turning Point

By Philip Taubman... MOSCOW — As political... the Communist Party conference... last week was both, in fact...

U.S. Downs Iranian Airliner in Gulf, Saying Jet Ignored Navy's Warnings



Admiral William Crowe, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, telling reporters Sunday about the U.S. attack on the Iranian airliner. Tehran said that 290 people were killed in the incident.

290 Deaths Reported, Reagan Voices Regret

WASHINGTON — A U.S. warship shot down an Iranian airliner Sunday over the Strait of Hormuz that it had mistaken for an attacking jet fighter, apparently killing all 290 persons aboard, and President Ronald Reagan expressed "regret" for "a terrible human tragedy."

The Vincennes officers acted properly under the conditions, he said in answer to a question. Admiral Crowe, speaking at the Pentagon, said that the Defense Department would conduct a full investigation. "We deeply regret any loss of life," he said.

The U.S. Explanation

The Iranian airliner "was headed directly for the USS Vincennes, which was at the time engaged with five Iranian Baghammar boats that had attacked our forces."



Chronology of Events... 6:10 GMT U.S. helicopter fired on by three small boats. 6:42 Vincennes fired on small boats, sinking two and damaging the other.

Tehran Vows to Avenge 'a Massacre'

NICOSIA — Iran accused the United States on Sunday of "a barbaric massacre" in shooting down an Iranian airliner and rejected a U.S. statement that the attack was a mistake.

Toll in Downing of Korean Jet Surpassed

WASHINGTON — The downing of the Iran Air jet with 290 people aboard, apparently with no survivors, would make it the deadliest recorded military downing of a civilian plane.

Incident Expected to End U.S.-Iran Overtures

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Kiosk

PLO Endorses Peace Proposal

TUNIS (AP) — Bassam Abu Sharif, chief spokesman of the Palestine Liberation Organization, said Sunday his recent Middle East peace proposals had been endorsed by the organization's chairman, Yasser Arafat, as official PLO policy, despite some dissenting Palestinian views.



Clash Over Excavation Near Temple Mount

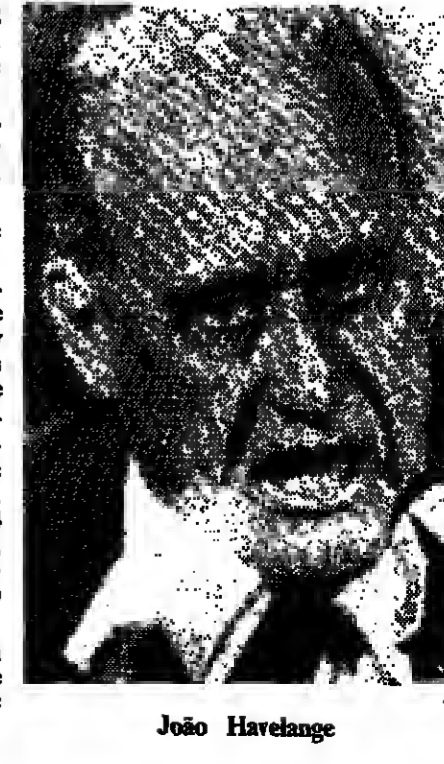
An Arab woman being led away after she was overcome by tear gas Sunday during a clash between Palestinians and Israeli policemen in Jerusalem's Old City. The police battled stone-throwing protesters who had driven an archeological team away from a site near the Temple Mount. Page 2.

MONDAY Q&A

Stephen Ledogar, head of the U.S. delegation at Vienna talks on conventional arms control, discusses Soviet intentions. Page 2.

U.S. Appears to Be the Choice for Staging the 1994 World Soccer Cup

By Rob Hughes... LONDON — A group of American citizens in Zurich, including friends of President Ronald Reagan and heads of corporate industries, have every reason to expect that at 1 P.M. on the Fourth of July the United States will get the go-ahead to stage a World Cup soccer championship.



Joao Havelange

Vertical sidebar containing various advertisements including 'People', 'er Soldiers', 'Kiosk', 'PLO Endorses', 'Peace Proposal', 'MONDAY Q&A', 'Clash Over Excavation', 'U.S. Appears to Be the Choice...', 'Toll in Downing of Korean Jet Surpassed', and 'Incident Expected to End U.S.-Iran Overtures'.

U.S. Sees Non-Nuclear Force Cuts as Test of Soviet Intentions

Cuts in non-nuclear forces throughout Europe are widely seen as a crucial test of Soviet intentions. Joseph Fitch, IHT political correspondent...

...talks themselves, once they begin must be autonomous. The allies are unanimous that there must be progress in all three baskets...

...context. It was the condition for expanding the talks to all Europe, from the Atlantic to the Urals, and bringing in France and Spain. It recognizes the security interests of other countries indirectly affected by these talks...

MONDAY Q&A

Q. What would be the test of Soviet intentions...? A. We would then see no reason to continue MBFR. I don't know exactly how they'll shut down...

...help them understand NATO's concerns, but the negotiations themselves are up to the two alliances. On the issues of weapons that can fire conventional or nuclear or chemical...

WORLD BRIEFS

Rights Group Plans Concert Tour

LONDON (Reuters) — Amnesty International announced plans Sunday for a worldwide concert tour to promote human rights...

China Seeks Soviet Aid on Cambodia

BEIJING (Reuters) — China hopes that the Soviet Union will set the stage for a Chinese-Soviet summit meeting by inducing Vietnam to withdraw from Cambodia...

100,000 Join in Czech Pilgrimage

LEVCOVA, Czechoslovakia (Reuters) — More than 100,000 Roman Catholics joined Sunday in a pilgrimage to underline the strength of their church...

Japan Ready to Bolster Asia Stability

SINGAPORE (AP) — Japan's defense chief said that his nation was willing to boost its investment and trade in Southeast Asia to buttress stability if the United States scaled back its military presence...

Dig Near Temple Mount Causes Riot

By Glenn Frankel, Washington Post Service. JERUSALEM — An attempt by Israeli religious authorities to complete excavation of an ancient tunnel...

...ry officials said they had notified the Waqf that a crew would be digging at the site, but they did not tell the Moslems when the work would occur in an attempt to prevent any organized protest...

...soldier charged in killing. The Israeli Army has indicted a soldier for killing an Arab youth, the most severe charge of abuse by the military since the Palestinian uprising began...



George P. Shultz, right, consulting with Foreign Minister Ricardo Acevedo Peralta of El Salvador, left, and a U.S. State Department spokesman, Charles E. Reinman, during a trip to Central America.

Shultz Trip: A New Strategy on Nicaragua

By David B. Ottaway, Washington Post Service. WASHINGTON — Five months after Congress cut off military aid to the Nicaraguan contras...

...week, his trip seemed a belated rescue mission and a search for the basis of a new strategy to start dealing with Nicaragua mainly through regional diplomacy rather than force.

TRAVEL UPDATE

Hot Weekend for European Airports

LONDON (Reuters) — West European airports were clogged with hot, sweaty holidaymakers over the weekend waiting to get onto flights delayed for several hours because of congestion at Mediterranean destinations...

Turkey Opens a 2d Bosphorus Bridge

ISTANBUL (Reuters) — Prime Minister Turgut Ozal opened the second Bosphorus bridge linking Asia and Europe on Sunday amid tight security.

Soviet Airport Security Is Criticized

MOSCOW (Reuters) — The Soviet aviation minister, Mikhail Timofeyev, said Sunday that security measures against hijackers were inadequate at Soviet airports and called for greater vigilance and better equipment.

This Week's Holidays

- Monday: Colombia, Guyana, Lesotho, Philippines, Puerto Rico, United States, Yugoslavia, Zambia. Tuesday: Algeria, Rwanda, Venezuela, Zambia. Wednesday: Malawi. Thursday: Tanzania. Saturday: Argentina, Morocco, Swaziland.

Eddie Vinson Is Dead at 70

LOS ANGELES — Eddie Vinson, 70, a jazz musician whose career as a singer and saxophonist dated to the big band swing era, died Saturday in Los Angeles of a heart attack.

South Africa Blames ANC in Bombing

JOHANNESBURG — A government official has blamed black nationalist guerrillas for a car-bomb explosion that killed two persons and injured 39 on Saturday near a Johannesburg rugby stadium.

...The bomb went off in a street near the Ellis Park rugby stadium, which is a mecca for white Afrikaans rugby fans. The explosion occurred as fans were leaving the stadium following a match between the local Transvaal provincial team and the Orange Free State team.

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A Question Still Open

The question of the century has been whether a full-blown totalitarian system, such as the one imposed by the Communist Party in the Soviet Union, could be transformed or at least substantially changed from within...

The other side was risk, too. For when the party's ways are changed—and that is what the week's struggle was about—the political system becomes something very different in its nature, in its operation and in the expectations people have for it, at home and abroad.

—THE WASHINGTON POST.

No Place for Ceausescu

Even as Stalinism's disastrous legacies come under attack in Moscow, the old tyrannical style flourishes in Romania. Nicolae Ceausescu's harsh 20-year rule has turned one of Europe's traditional breadbaskets into a land of legendary deprivation.

Even so, Ceausescu used to win plaudits in the West for his occasional departures from Moscow's foreign policy dictates. No more. His brutalities have broken even the steady unanimity among East bloc nations, where he is now openly criticized.

—THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Reform Talk in Mexico

It's not quite perestroika, but an entrenched party and keeper of the orthodox revolutionary flame is challenged by a new leader who urges bold democratic reform in rescue of a tottering system.

In some ways, Mr. Salinas represents the most radical break with the past. He contends that without political reform and pluralism, the ruling Party machine is headed for collapse, that without economic reform, there can be no escape from austerity; that without a stern drive against corruption and drug trafficking, national security will fatally erode.

—THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Comment

A Gauge of Mexican Progress: If Mexico's economy is looking up, its political future is not. The clearest evidence of this is that the winner of Wednesday's presidential election has been known for nine months.

three degrees from Harvard and children at Mexico City's Japanese school. Will be now open up Mexico's politics as efficiently as he has helped (President Miguel) de la Madrid to start opening up its economy? Here is a rough test of change. If he is said to have won more than 60 percent of the vote when the count is announced, there has been widespread fraud; if he is awarded less than 55 percent, consider this election pretty clean.

—The Economist (London).

OPINION

For a Federated State in the Holy Land

By Yehudi Menuhin. The writer, 72, has been a concert violinist for 65 years.

LONDON — The dream of a Jewish political homeland in the Holy Land, as conceived by Theodor Herzl, was oblivious of an Arab reality. Even today, a majority in Israel would like to treat this reality as a merely temporary impediment to the development and the stability of a sovereign state.

These are all simply clever devices that do not correspond to heartfelt emotions. We must forget that we are dealing here with the passions of pride, loyalty, love, hate, fear and traditions that on legal verbiage can possibly ally.

Jerusalem may be the key to world peace — just as an exclusively held Jerusalem may be an omen portending world war.

hope that by treating all Palestinian Arabs as our equals, they may no longer need to be represented by their militant defender Yasser Arafat? Finally, not least among the benefits would be restoring the image of the Jews as a people who are idealistic, practical, pragmatic and far-seeing.

The Washington Post.

After the Moscow Show: Questions and Answers

By Flora Lewis

MOSCOW — Some questions provoked when he launched the Soviet Union on reforms can now be answered. Others remain open and even bigger ones have arisen.

Does he really mean it? Yes indeed. He sees his country as a paralyzed giant, a superpower only by virtue of military might which is consuming it and cannot be used for self-interest.

specifies that did not exist before, a chance for a process of change far beyond today's horizons. What does he mean by "democratization"? His proposal for election as president would enormously enhance his power at the expense of the Politburo and the party apparatus.

World Food Prospects: Bad and Getting Worse

By Lester R. Brown

WASHINGTON — Drought in the United States brings into focus a deteriorating world food situation. After two decades of impressive gains, global food production has slowed. Last year it fell below consumption; even without the drought, a further decline in food stocks was in store for 1988.

convert to less than 40 million acres of highly erodible cropland to grassland or woodland before it loses its topsoil. In contrast, the Soviet Union has no program for converting highly erodible land to less intensive, albeit sustainable, uses.

new harvest begins) dropped from 457 million metric tons to 390 million. This year, stocks could well fall below 300 million metric tons, a reduction that could easily raise grain prices to twice the 1987 level.

Restoring the land's fertility is difficult and time consuming.

ion hectares [232 million acres] to 260 million. Some of this expansion was achieved by over-pumping. In 1986, the U.S. Department of Agriculture reported that 14 million of the 52 million acres of U.S. irrigated cropland was being watered by the pulling down water tables, with the drop ranging from six inches [15 centimeters] to four feet [1.22 meters] per year.

Restoring the land's fertility is difficult and time consuming. In the Third World, cropland degradation from erosion is leading to the wholesale abandonment not only of cropland but of entire villages. In parts of northern Ethiopia, for example, there is simply not enough topsoil to sustain even subsistence-level farming.

100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO. 1888: Patriotic Plans. NEW YORK — Today [July 3] the dog days came in traditionally hot and there is every prospect tomorrow of a heated celebration of the anniversary of American Independence.

Bush Has A Tranquil Strategy

By David S. Broder

SAN FRANCISCO — An on-air soliloquy pervades the upper echelons of George Bush's presidential campaign. While Republicans fret that Michael Dukakis is being allowed to set the pace and agenda of the race, Mr. Bush and his advisers seem almost nonchalant. "Tu very relaxed," the vice president said in an interview in Air Force Two, flying out of here this week. "It's too late," he added with a smile, "to be anything else."

Watching the Bush campaign, many observers have concluded that it lacks teeth, direction or strategy. But conversations with Mr. Bush and some of his key advisers suggest that they are operating on different assumptions than their critics about the timing, tasks and basic nature of this election.

Poling shows the anomaly of large majorities giving Ronald Reagan high marks for reducing the threat of nuclear war, saying that they are optimistic about their own economic futures — and still believing that the country is seriously off on the wrong track. Mr. Bush says he thinks much of that is caused by "the new threat to stability of the family and the community — narcotics." His advisers say the cause is broader — a "tearing of the social fabric is being wrought by the pace of change in the economy, in the schools and in families."

1938: Brazilian Trial

RIO DE JANEIRO — Details of the attempted revolt by President Vargas's own palace guard against his "little dictatorship" over Brazil were revealed in a court here today [July 3] for the first time when twenty-five Green Shirts, members of the Brazilian Fascist party, were charged with an attempt to murder President Vargas and change the constitution.

1913: Minister Recalled

ATHENS — The Bulgarian Minister in Athens has been recalled and will leave for Sofia on Saturday [July 3].

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Weekly International Bond Prices

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Prices may vary according to market conditions and other factors.

Dollar Straights

Table of Dollar Straights bond prices including issuers like Aust Com Bk, Aust Govt, and various international bonds.

United Kingdom

Table of United Kingdom bond prices including issuers like Barclays, British Telecom, and various international bonds.

United States

Table of United States bond prices including issuers like A T & T, Amstar, and various international bonds.

Japan

Table of Japan bond prices including issuers like Dai Nippon, Dai Kang, and various international bonds.

France

Table of France bond prices including issuers like B F C E, B F C E, and various international bonds.

Canada

Table of Canada bond prices including issuers like B C Hydre, B C Hydre, and various international bonds.

Denmark

Table of Denmark bond prices including issuers like Danmarks, Danmarks, and various international bonds.

Sweden

Table of Sweden bond prices including issuers like S A S, S A S, and various international bonds.

Finland

Table of Finland bond prices including issuers like Suomen, Suomen, and various international bonds.

INTERNATIONAL POSITIONS

You will find below a listing of job positions published last Thursday under the rubric International Positions.

Table of International Positions with columns for Title, Salary, and Employer. Includes roles like Procurement Project Leader, General Counsel, Economists, etc.

If you haven't seen last week's INTERNATIONAL POSITIONS rubric, please ask for a free copy: Max Ferrero, INTERNATIONAL HERALD TRIBUNE, 92521 Neuilly Cedex, France.

DM Straights

Table of DM Straights bond prices including issuers like Deutsche, Deutsche, and various international bonds.

DM Zero Coupons

Table of DM Zero Coupons bond prices including issuers like Deutsche, Deutsche, and various international bonds.

Euromarts At a Glance

Table of Euromarts At a Glance showing various market indicators and yields.

ECU Straights

Table of ECU Straights bond prices including issuers like European, European, and various international bonds.

Weekly Sales

Table of Weekly Sales showing primary and secondary market data.

Liber Rates

Table of Liber Rates showing various interest rates and market data.

French Company Handbook 1988 advertisement. Includes text about the handbook's content, contact information for the Herald Tribune, and a list of French companies.

WestLB advertisement. Includes text about fixed income and equities trading, contact information for WestLB, and a list of services.

Vertical sidebar advertisement on the right edge of the page, containing various financial and business notices.





NASDAQ National Market

OTC Consolidated trading for week ended Friday, July 1

Main table containing NASDAQ National Market data with columns for Sales, High, Low, Close, and Change. Includes sub-sections for various market segments like Micro, Small, and Large cap.

Amsterdam
Trading last week was dominated by intervention against the dollar...

Frankfurt
West German stocks had a good week...

Mutual Funds
The mutual fund industry reported...

(Continued on next page)

WORLD STOCKS IN REVIEW / Via Agence France-Press

Amsterdam Trading last week was dominated by intervention against the dollar...

Hong Kong Trading was bullish last week, the Hang Seng index falling 22.92 points...

Milan Prices managed a slight gain for the week, the Comit index closing at 5124.6...

Tokyo Inflation fears, stemming from the dollar's sharp rise, shook the stock market...

Frankfurt West German stocks had a good week, the Commerzbank index rising 28.8 points...

London The market fluctuated broadly to end the week slightly lower...

Paris The CAC index finished the week at 3587, against 3555 on Tuesday...

Zurich Share prices finished little changed, the Credit Suisse index closing at 468.6...

Chicago Exchange Options

Figures as of close of trading Friday, July 1

Table with columns for Option & price, Calls, Puts, and various stock symbols like ALEX, AMZN, etc.

Options & price Calls Puts

Table with columns for Option & price, Calls, Puts, and various stock symbols like ALEX, AMZN, etc.

Mutual Funds

Figures as of close of trading Friday, July 1

Table listing various mutual funds such as AAL, ADF, AEM, etc. with their respective prices and changes.

NEW YORK (AP)

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including AAL, ADF, AEM, etc.

NASDAQ National Market

OTC Consolidated trading for week ended Friday

Table listing various NASDAQ stocks and their prices, including AAL, ADF, AEM, etc.

Treasury Bonds

Table listing various Treasury Bonds and their yields, including 100, 100, 100, etc.

MORGAN STANLEY

MORGAN STANLEY advertisement with text: 'has pleasure in announcing its move to new offices at Bahnhofstrasse 92 8001 Zurich on July 4th, 1988' and 'U.S. Consumer Rates'.

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SOURIN MELIKIAN advertisement with text: 'IN THE BEST EVERY AUCTION WITH AUTHORITY WRITING ON THE WORLD OF ART AND ART AUCTIONS'.

Advertisement for 'ies Trading' with text: 'West'.

Advertisement for 'Libor Rates' with text: 'Libor Rates'.

Advertisement for 'Eurobank At a Glance' with text: 'Eurobank At a Glance'.

MONDAY SPORTS

SIDELINES

Age Limit of 23 Set for Olympic Soccer

ZURICH (AP) — The International Football Federation, the ruling body of world soccer, Saturday set an age limit of 23 on players competing at the Olympic Games...

Kookaburra III Wins 12-Meter Crown

LULEA, Sweden (AP) — Kookaburra III of Australia, the boat that lost to Dennis Connor's Stars & Stripes in last year's America's Cup, swept Bengal III of Japan on Saturday to win the World 12-meter yachting championship.

Australians Lose Top Event In Surprising Henley Finals

HENLEY-ON-THAMES, England — Australia's Olympic eight, including six of the crew that won the world title in 1986, was beaten in a photo finish Sunday on a final day of surprises at the Royal Henley rowing regatta.

Prost Wins France Grand Prix

The Associated Press LE CASTELLET, France — Alain Prost of France won his 32nd Formula One race, capturing the French Grand Prix here Sunday. It was another 1-2 finish for the McLaren-Hondas, as Ayrton Senna of Brazil finished 31.752 seconds behind after battling Prost for the lead until the last five laps.

Defending world champion Nelson Piquet of Brazil finished fifth in a Lotus-Honda, while Alessandro Nannini of Italy was sixth in a Benetton-Ford, the first of the non-turbo finishers.



Alain Prost, taking the checkered flag Sunday in Le Castellet, France.

Rookie U.S. Cyclist Is Enjoying Christmas in July

By Samuel Abt International Herald Tribune LA BAULE, France — As expected, a highly regarded American rode with the PDM team as the Tour de France, the world's premier bicycle race, warmed up Sunday in Brittany.

But he was not Greg LeMond, who won the professional road race championship in 1983 and the Tour de France in 1986. Instead, it was Andy Bishop, who was riding with a club in Tucson, Arizona, as recently as 1985. Not even racing — just riding socially.

In a short "preface" on a raw, rainy and windswept day in the seaside resort of La Baule, the race, a five-kilometer (3.1-mile) team trial that ended in a one-kilometer sprint by one rider from each of the 22 teams, did not count in the official standings and was held mainly to fulfill obligations to the sponsoring region.

Bishop won his place on the nine-man PDM team partly because of injuries to other riders. These included an infected tendon in the right shin that obliged LeMond to withdraw from the tour while he continues his slow comeback from an accidental shooting in 1986.



All Blacks Confirm Rugby Primacy

New Zealand's captain, Wayne Shelford, had reason to remain calm while watching his scrumhalf, Bruce Deans, fire the ball back Sunday in Sydney: Nick Farr-Jones, Australia's captain, looked on anxiously from the left. The All Blacks — rugby's 1987 World Cup winners — beat the Wallabies, 32-7, in the first of three tests.

CROSSWORD puzzle grid with clues: 1 Money spent in an agora, 5 At the bottom, 10 Fort Worth inst., 13 Emulate an inst., 14 Faye of films, 15 Humberg, 16 Becomes horatory, 19 Suffix with rest, 20 "... lovely as, 21 Baif, 22 Sometime Roman followers, 24 Deface, 25 Comparative ending, 26 Certain wave crest, 31 Concerning, 34 Pan fry, 35 In the manner of, 36 Old Glory features.

WEATHER table with columns for EUROPE, ASIA, NORTH AMERICA, AFRICA, LATIN AMERICA, and OCEANIA, listing high and low temperatures for various cities.

DENNIS THE MENACE comic strip panel showing Dennis and Gloop in a tropical setting.

JUMBLE word game section with a grid and clues: I thought you know what I wanted for breakfast, WHAT TO DO IF YOU DON'T LIKE GRANULATED SUGAR IN YOUR COFFEE.

Down clues for Friday's puzzle: 1 Kind of nerve, 2 Music to a diva's ears, 3 Holmlike, 4 Caustic, 5 Pitcher's opponent, 6 Then, in Toulon, 7 Location, 8 Twinge, 9 Light-Horse, 10 It's usually dull, 11 Arrived.

PEANUTS comic strip panel with characters Woodstock and Snoopy.

ANDY CAPP comic strip panel with characters Andy Capp and his wife.

WIZARD OF ID comic strip panel with characters in a wizard-themed setting.

Solution to Friday's puzzle: WISH RIFLE AGHA, ANTA ELIAS GRAB, GRAYBEARS RAZE, SENSORED DELAYED, ENDEAVOR AVERTS, YARD LITRE ION, RIA VELURES APE, LIVY INONE BREE, RELINE ENCLOSED, ANY ASTRAL, SEDULAE INSERT, EMIR GRAYMAST, SWEET AINEE ENEE, SAISIS REINITIS RAFT.

BLONDIE comic strip panel with characters Blondie and Dag.

REX MORGAN comic strip panel with characters Rex Morgan and his wife.

WIZARD OF ID comic strip panel with characters in a wizard-themed setting.

BEEBLE BAILEY comic strip panel with characters Beetle Bailey and his dog.

REX MORGAN comic strip panel with characters Rex Morgan and his wife.

WIZARD OF ID comic strip panel with characters in a wizard-themed setting.

DOONESBURY comic strip panel with characters Doonesbury and his friends.

REX MORGAN comic strip panel with characters Rex Morgan and his wife.

GARFIELD comic strip panel with characters Garfield and his owner.

The Torch As Graf T, SCOREBOARD, and FRENCH GRAND PRIX sections.

MONDAY SPORTS

Becker, Edberg Start, Stop As Rain Besets Men's Final

By John Feinstein
WIMBLEDON, England — Sunday was supposed to be a day for royalty at Wimbledon: Princess Diana and the new men's singles champion, either Boris Becker or Stefan Edberg. But the princess never made it to Center Court. Edberg and Becker did, but only briefly. They began play at 6:33 P.M., more than four hours late, and got in five games in 22 minutes before the rain began again.



Boris Becker. Now he understands.



Stefan Edberg. Perennial semifinalist no longer.

The Torch Is Passed As Graf Takes Title

By Peter Alfano
New York Times Service
WIMBLEDON, England — As she stood at the umpire's chair during the postmatch ceremony, Martina Navratilova could have closed her eyes and recited all the past by heart. It was the ninth time she had played a major role in this slice of Wimbledon pomp and circumstance, having become as much of a fixture on Center Court as the Duke and Duchess of Kent.



Steffi Graf on Saturday: "Winning is such a special feeling."

thought, "If she's going to play like she looks, she can't win." Sure enough, when play resumed after a 44-minute delay, Graf broke Navratilova again, moving around the court as if she were on springs. She held serve and then broke once more to close out the match, aided by two double faults. At match point, she whipped a backhand return winner that clipped the net as it went past Navratilova.

Morris and Tigers Pounded by Angels in 10-4 Rout

DETROIT — Chili Davis drove in four runs and had one of three California home runs off Jack Morris in the first three innings as the Angels routed the Detroit Tigers 10-4 here on Sunday.

The Reds went ahead 1-0 in the fourth on Paul O'Neill's eighth home run of the season, a blast into the right-field seats. ... SUNDAY BASEBALL ... Davis doubled off Kevin Gross, the Phillies starter, to give the Reds a 3-2 lead in the fifth.

Orioles Rise to the Occasion

Baltimore right fielder Joe Orsulak may have lost his cap on the play, but he came down with the ball to take an extra-base hit away from Scott Fletcher in Saturday night's first inning in Arlington Texas.



Giants Edge Pirates on 2-Run Wild Pitch

San Francisco — The biggest run producer for the San Francisco Giants on Saturday was Pittsburgh's Barry Jones. ... SUNDAY BASEBALL ... Giants scored two runs in the eighth inning and defeat the Pirates 2-1.

Yankees 4, White Sox 0: In the American League, in Chicago, John Candelaria hurled a two-hitter and struck out 12 batters, and Jack Clark hit his 17th home run of the season to pace New York.

SCOREBOARD

Table with columns: Baseball, Friday's and Saturday's Major League Line Scores. Includes results for American League, National League, and Mixed Games.

Table with columns: Tennis, Wimbledon Results. Lists men's singles, men's doubles, women's singles, and women's doubles results.

Table with columns: Transition, American League, National League. Lists various sports and league results.

Table with columns: Major League Standings, American League, National League. Lists standings for various teams.

Table with columns: Auto Racing, French Grand Prix, British Grand Prix. Lists race results and driver standings.

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DRIVER STANDINGS

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2. Nelson Piquet, Brazil, 33
3. Ivan Capelli, Italy, 21

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